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REMARKS This is UNEVALUATED Information

2. On 1 April 1955, a new commissary was established at Oranienburg. This commissary was supplied by supply officer Klinenko. On 15 April, the commissary bought 100 pairs of epaulets for personnel of bomber units. On 20 April, the commissary opened a general shop at an undetermined place. Among other articles bought 300 pairs of infantry epaulets, 300 pairs of artillery epaulets, and 1,000 artillery insignia 250 pairs of epaulets for signal NCOs and EM and 1,000 insignia for signal personnel. An order for 100 pairs of epaulets for signal officers was also placed.²

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3. The following information on commissaries was available:

Commissary	Military Rank of Chief	Location
Voichenko	Captain, blue-bordered silver epaulets	Finow, Neuruppin
Trafimov	Captain, red-bordered silver epaulets	Zerbst, Jueterbox
Gitun	Captain, red-bordered silver epaulets	Finsterwalde, Alt Loennewitz
Belyayev	Major, red-bordered silver epaulets	Rathen, Neubrandenburg
Bilyatski	Major, red-bordered silver epaulets	presumably Halle Rechlin, Neubrandenburg
Toporkov	Lieutenant, blue-bordered epaulets	Wittstock, Parchim
Mashkin	Major, red-bordered silver epaulets	Elstal, Stendal-Borstel, Brandenburg-Industrie
Dobritski	Captain, red-bordered silver epaulets	Brandenburg-Briest
Tupitsia	Major, epaulets (?)	Puetnitz, Dargarten
Gorshenko	Lieutenant, epaulets (?)	Grossenhain
Komar	Captain, blue-bordered silver epaulets	Koethen, Wittenberg
Zemczatski	Lieutenant, blue-bordered epaulets	Briesen, Finsterwalde
Krushilmitski ? ?		Werneuchen
Klimenko ? ?		Oranienburg
Storage		Werder Airport
Depot No 2		
Storage		Werder radio station,
Depot No 3		Glinow
Storage		Wusterhausen
Depot No 5		
Storage Depot No 6		Bad Saarow
Storage Depot No 12		Rangsdorf
Storage Depot No 8		Buckow
Univermag		Werder
Gastronom		Werder
Restaurant		Werder
Storage Depot No 9		? 3

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2. Comment. The establishment of a commissary at Oranienburg tends to indicate that the headquarters of the bomber division, which has regiments at Oranienburg, Gross Döbbern, and Rothenburg is located there. The purchase of epaulets for signal officers and EM supports the assumption that a signal school is located at Wittstock.
3. Comment. This tabulation is a consolidation of all information available on Soviet Air Force commissaries.

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